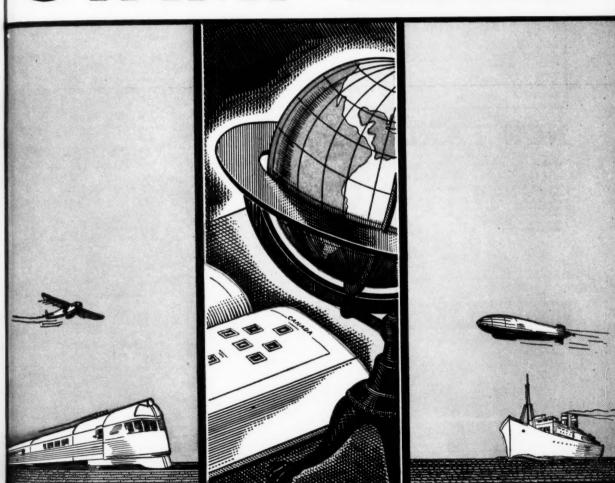
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Murder on St. Helena

By DON HOUSEWORTH

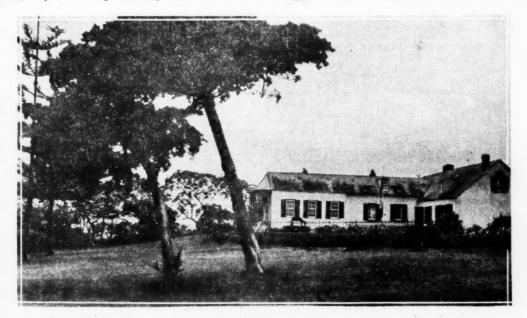
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At dinner that evening Hayden thought it a good idea to invite all tainly succeeded.

"May I as a collector of thirty years, Inspector, and yet not a special-quainted party and the doctor readily succeeded.

"May I as a collector of thirty years, Inspector, and yet not a special-ist" (this was a dig at Hayden) after the doctor readily in the morning.

Later in the evening the talk veered into the subject of stamps and Hay-



LONGWOOD, THE HOUSE WHERE NAPOLEON LIVED IN EXILE IN ST. HELENA

den, in a rash moment, remarked that he sometimes thought it a mark of childishness to collect stamps.

"Not that I have any idea of giving up collecting," he added, "but I sometimes catch myself thinking that there are more important things to do in spare moments."

Personally, I think Hayden was in the world, certainly as far as any recreation or hobby is concerned. At the moment I am a member of the Junior Philatelic Society of London and I am but one of 5,000 members. I am a member of the Oceanic, N. Z. are more important things to do in spare moments."

Were listed years ago and the number grows, one might say, daily. No, Inspector, it is no longer possible to though, of course, millions of children follow it in a general way."

Hayden's eyes twinkled. "Thirty years of general collecting! You must have all the old ones?"

"Hardly," replied Doctor Burton. "I should say there are 25,000 varieties in my albums. Latterly I have been going in for all good commem-oratives. I think these open a field of intense interest to the adult mind. Why? Briefly, let us consider Russia. The curtain was rung down on the Romanoffs and as a result of certain postal issues I obtained the lives of Ivan the Terrible and Catherine the Great. Austrian charities received my interest in the immortal Beethoven and I obtained a life of this great man in order that I might study up on him."

"As you put it, doctor", I ventured, "stamp collecting can almost take the place of an education. If I am not becoming too personal, perhaps you will tell us something about your edu-

"What do you mean by education?" he countered. "If one were to translate the word in its broadest sense one could best answer you by mentioning the various parts of the world where one has learned more and more of the secret which is the greatest secret of all time-the understanding and tolerance of other people's views and the ability to adjust one's view-point, knowing that in everyone there is something of good. If this could be learned by the hot heads of the world war would cease to be and unity would make possible a fellowship greater than that achieved by any religion or sect.

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Hayden and I exchanged glances. We were beginning to think of ourselves as globe trotters but we were just Saturday night loafers on the corner in comparison with this traveler. I thought it best to change the subject before the doctor inquired into our "educations".

"What stamp do you think is the most beautiful?" I asked.

"That is a difficult question," he declared. "The queen's heads of Nova Scotia? But you say one stamp. Canada's 1930 air mail and the Nova Scotia 121/2 cents run each other close. The results of photogravure are wonderful. Look at Liechtenstein's 1930 issue or Saar's "Madonna". No, it were invidious to draw comparisons or say which. The individual taste must always be considered and the appeal to that something outside the field of mere beauty.

And on that we went to bed.

Doctor Burton was just leaving the breakfast table the next morning to deliver his invitations to the "Llandovery Castle party" when one of the islanders from back in the country

came in, breathless and so excited he could scarcely talk. "You're wanted at Longwood at once," he managed to say to the sur-geon. "It's one of the strangers from off the ship. He's dead!"

It seemed like hours before we reached Napoleon's old home but it could not have been more than twenty minutes. As we approached the house we could see probably a dozen residents of the neighborhood grouped the rear of the building and an officer came to meet us.

"I have notified the chief of police, doctor, and I don't think there is a thing that can be done but I thought it best to send for you, too.

The little knot of curious folk fell back as we walked to the body which lay, face down, upon the turf. Even before Doctor Burton turned the man over we knew that he was Clyde Balfour. An ugly bullet wound in the forehead told its own story.

"How long has he been dead, doctor?" asked Hayden.

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The police executive, who has been on an early morning visit to another part of the island, was located and he arrived before Hayden was ready to leave. There were introductions all around and Doctor Burton identified Inspector Hayden as an outstanding American investigator. standing American investigator.

"This is indeed fortunate," beamed the officer. "If Mr. Hayden will be so kind as to assist us in an investiga-tion of this tragic incident the colonial government will be everlastingly indebted to him."

"It so happens," replied Hayden, "that I am extremely interested in this case and with your permission I will proceed. An immediate inquest, I believe, would be advisable."

"This afternoon". The official was plainly pleased. "At the administration building in Jamestown."

St. Helena once had a motion picture theater but that was before the heavy hand of the depression deheavy hand of the depression descended upon the island. Heaven knows what the people did for recreation before Hayden landed. They turned out in force that afternoon for the inquest. There must have been 2,000 men, women and children within a stone's throw of the old castle which, of late years, has been used as the administration building. There had not been such an event on the island since the Boer War when numbers of South African Dutch

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Miss Thompson was the first wit-

"At what time did you leave Long-wood yesterday evening?" she was asked.

"At 6:30."

"Exactly?"

"Exactly".

"Why do you say 6:30 exactly?" Hayden asked.

"Because I looked at my watch. Miss Smith and I grew impatient at the delay of the car to return for us."

"Was Mr. Balfour with you at 6:30?

"He was not. Mr. Balfour was never with us."

"You misunderstand," explained Hayden. "Perhaps I should have asked if you saw Mr. Balfour at

"Certainly not. The man was dead at that time."

A murmur swept through the room. "You knew he was dead?" pursued Hayden.

mean.'

"I mean that this Mr. Balfour was not about Longwood for more than an hour before the party entered the car to return to Jamestown. At about 6 o'clock Miss Smith and I heard a shot somewhere in the distance beyond the house. Naturally, we paid no attention at the time. I was not familiar with the habits of those who live on that part of the island and dismissed the incident from my mind. I thought someone might have been hunting."

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Mr. L. M. Holmes starts the ball rolling this week with a request for information as to where he may purchase Canal Zone issues. The address is:-Postmaster, Balboa Heights, Canal Zone. He also wishes to know if the new Philippine set is a commemorative issue. No it is a regular issue—and a very attractive one as

well as costly. Mr. W. W. Eruber notes differences in the sizes of various stamps in the same issue. However, the differences are so great, namely two and one half mms. on a Harding stamp, that we feel sure he is measuring from the ends of the perforations rather than the ends of the designs. In perforating stamps the wheels used are not always the same distance apart or the paper buckles slightly in passing through the wheels. This results in some stamps having abnormally wide margins while others have very small ones. He also has noticed several copies where the ruled lines forming the border appears as solid color. This is caused by an excessive amount of ink being left on the plate before the stamps are printed and occurrs quite frequently.

Mr. Ralph Chapman asks how the inexperienced can distinguish tween the papers used by the three banknote companies. It is not necessary to distinguish between the first, or National, and second, or Continental, as the secret marks take care of that and both papers

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Mrs. Lothrop wonders at the difficulty in finding a copy of No. 157 with a visible secret mark. This is a moot question. Some claim it does not exist. In any event, No. 157 is best distinguished from No. 146 by the shade, which is a much deeper brown than the earlier stamp.

Mr. William Gartner suggests another way to distinguish between offset and engraved stamps. Take a piece of tin-foil and place it over the stamp in question. Rub the tin-foil firmly with your finger. If an impression of the stamp is trans-fered to the foil it is engraved. If not it is an offset or surface print.

The recent noise about machines for perforating straight edges makes it pertinent to repeat a warning. Unless you know what you are buying, be suspicious of stamps whose perforations along one or more sides appear to be cut across the ends of This is a pretty fair test the teeth. for reperforating as, except on ex-pensive stamps, it is not worth taking the time to roughen up these

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To facilitate the preparation of the first-day covers, the special blocks of four stamps will be on sale at the Main Post Office in Washington, D. C., and also at the Benjamin Franklin Station in the Post Office Department Building, on March 15. The large uncut sheets will be available at the Philatelic Agency only. In sending to the agency for the special uncut sheets and the blocks of four, the orders must be for these items only, not including requests for other

stamps on the Agency list, because the special uncut sheets require special packing to insure their delivery in good condition. Remittance must cover face value of the stamps desired as well as return postage and registration.

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ATTENTION! MR. FARLEY

Stamp Collecting by Postmasters and Postal **Employees**

The Department observes an increasing tendency among Postmasters and postal employees generally to become actively interested in the collection of postage stamps and covers of philatelic interest for their own pri-

vate collection purposes.

While it is not the desire of the Department to interfere with the proper pursuit of this hobby by members of the Postal Service, it must be clearly understood by such collectors that they cannot in any way be permitted to make undue use of their official positions or their contacts within the Service to obtain, create or manipulate items likely to be of special philatelic interest, such as stamps, postmarks, cachets, obliterations, etc., which would otherwise be unprocura-

In other words, the legitimate ac-tivities of philatelists within the Ser-vice will be precisely the same as those of the general public; and all concerned are warned that any misuse of their positions in this respect will be treated severely.

-Clipping from Canadian Postal Bulletin.

What a blessing to Americans if we could have a little firm British law for some of the shortcomings of our American politicians.

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With The Stamp Clubs

The Houlton (Maine) Stamp Club claims to be the most northerly stamp Society in the United States and is planning now for its annual exhibi-

The Central States Federation of Stamp Clubs, consisting of more than 25 clubs, mostly in and around Chi-cago will hold its first anniversary with a banquet on March 2.

The North Suburban Philatelic Society of Highland Park, Ill. steals an idea from the Race Horses. At the annual dinner, to be held soon there will also be a "Claiming Exhibit". Exhibitors will be required to place a value on their frames and anyone wishing to purchase at the price named is at liberty to do so, the owner being obliged to sell at the stated price. Really a nice idea but none of the boys will display their prize

The Orange County Philatelic Society will hold its Third Annual Stamp Exhibit in the California Hotel at Fullerton, Calif., April first to sixth. For cachet collectors there will be a special cachet applied to covers which must be sent to the Society at 2656 N. Main St., Santa Ana, Calif.

New Harris Wholesale Catalog

H. E. Harris & Co., of Boston, Mass., call it "The Stamp Dealer's Annual Catalogue for 1935." It is a book of more than 200 pages listing stamps in single copies, sets, packets, mixtures and assortments. The list mixtures and assortments. also includes a complete and extensive line of accessories and supplies for dealers, albums, stock books and all other material used by the dealer and collector.

The list is solely for the dealer and a price of 50c is charged for the list in order that it may go to dealers only. We believe this charge is rebated on future orders. It is the wish of the Harris Company to keep this catalogue out of the hands of collectors and they especially request any dealer knowing of any collector who receives a copy of this catalogue to advise them of the circumstances and they will remove that name from

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Lindbergh Covers Stolen

Word is at hand from Mr. W. Rufus Jackson, Postmaster, St. Louis, Mo., telling of the theft of his valuable collection of Lindbergh covers. This collection was on display at a stamp exhibition in a St. Louis Hotel on February 9 to 11th. Sometime during the period from Saturday night till Monday morning the frame in which the covers were mounted was opened and the entire collection of covers

The covers were a complete collec-tion of covers from the February 4, fifth anniversary commemorative flight of the Pan American Good Will Flight of 1929, at which time air mail service was established between North and South America.

Represented in the collection was a cover from each of the countries to which the planes flew, a total of 29 in all, including most of the countries of South, Central America and many of the West Indies.

Each cover was inscribed, "The Honorable W. R. Jackson,—Postmas-ter—St. Louis, Missouri."

Collectors and dealers are urged to be on the lookout for any such covers and if discovered, please notify Mr. Jackson direct.

It is a very unpleasant thing that a stamp exhibition must be robbed by someone who evidently is not particular how he accumulates his collection. The effort of every collector in St. Louis, toward the recovery of this collection is urged, that the good name of all stamp collectors may be protected.

DUSH RUS NO EXTRA CHARGE FIRST DAY COVERS

March 15th first day covers. Newburgh, Byrd perforated, Mother's Day flat plate, Wisconsin, Complete Parks set and 16c airmail-special delivery will be handled at face value of stamps wanted on cover. No extra charges. Covers must be addressed, sealed, ready to go and on hand at address below, with money order for face value of stamps not later than March 11th. Requests for position stamps or blocks cannot be granted.

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On April 28 or May 5, Hamilton Field will be dedicated in Marin County. Covers will be received for both these events by the San Francisco Junior Chamber of Commerce Cachet Director, Mr. John D. Long, or covers may be sent to his residence, 779 41st Ave., San Francisco.

Rapkin Products at London Exhibition

The British Industries Fair to be held in London, from February 18th to March 1st is designed especially for the display of goods manufac-tured in Great Britian. The regulations forbid the display of anything by the stall holder's except such items made in their own factory.

A special cancellation is now being used on British Mail to advertise the Fair and Messrs G. F. Rapkin, Fair and Messrs G. F. Rapkin, Worlds' largest Manufacturers of Philatelic Accessories have taken a stall for the display of their products.

Want Stamp For Barry

A resolution or rather several reso-lutions are now before the Senate Committee on Postoffices and Post Roads, urging the issue of a special Commemorative stamp honoring Com-modore John Barry. Commodore Bar-ry's ship the "Black Prince" was the first flag ship of our Navy and it was this ship that captured the British war vessel "Edward", first enemy ship to be taken by the Navy of the Conti-

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BYRD AND NEWBURGH
LINE AND GUTTER BLOCKS
The Byrd and Newburgh stamps will also be reissued on March 15th, but in perforate form. Evidently the only way to distinguish these from the original issue will be to collect a pair or block in which the gutter runs down the middle.

In the Newburgh stamp we will supply a block of thirty-two stamps, from which one gutter block of four can be secured, at a net price of \$1.25. In the Byrd stamp, we offer a block of twelve stamps, from which a line block of four can be removed, for only 50. The Cross Center Line block of the Byrd stamp will be supplied at \$1.50, if enough are available. This block is from the center of the sheet and consists of 16 stamps. It will be a show-piece and a rarity. Ordinary pairs or blocks of the other varieties will be supplied promptly at ten per cent over face plus postage.

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Editorials »

STOP, THIEF In our issue of February 2, we took occasion to call the attention of collectors to the offering of a Chicago party by the name of George Rabb, of a specially constructed machine for the reperforating of straight edged stamps.

Our principal object in bringing up the subject was to cause collectors to think on a subject which is of vital

importance to themselves.

We invited comment on the subject and of course received the very kind of letters that we expected to re-ceive. Letters from collectors who very firmly condemned the practice of reperforating straight edged stamps as being unethical, that any such re-perforated stamps should be marked and all that lovely hooey.

Sure, we could have written an

editorial of just that type had we been inclined to do so, but what good does such comment do when we are as-

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HELD BROS.

1941 73rd St.,

Breeklyn, N. Y.

Linn's Weekly Stamp News sured that there have already been a very large number of these machines placed in the hands of stamp people.

What good does it do to say that such stamps should be marked when we all know that there are people who would gladly sell such repaired stamps without ever remembering that they had repaired them. We know there are such people because in this issue of this paper is an item about one such person who stole a very valuable collection of covers at a St. Louis ex-We have printed numerous hibition. other reports of thefts of valuable stamps.

Few collections but what house ome counterfeits. Mr. Claiborne of some counterfeits. California flagrantly offered stamps that you would not want to put in your collection. The A. P. S. sued the man and got set out in the cold.

How are you going to stop the practice, how are you going to guard against it? That is the question. It's not a silly matter of saying that such reperforate stamps should or should not be marked. We all know that for every dealer who would mark them that there are many who would not and when are you going to pay for one of these fixed stamps.

We hesitate to speak plainly on this subject, yet it is one that any thinking collector can settle for himself. It is a subject that comes closer to American Collectors than to those in any other country that we think of for what other country has issued so many different stamps with one or more straight edges as have been issued by the United States.

As Mr. E. B. Power has often remarked, if you collect holes you may have to pay for them. If we did not collect Holes, the entire mess that has been brewed up by Mr. Farley would not be nearly so serious as it has become

While Precancels work into this picture as well as other stamps, our object in mentioning them is to express the opinion that the Precancel game has almost been killed by its best friends who insisted on multiplying the number of collectible varieties by every means of which they could think until so vast number of varieties became a burden to list in the catalog and a burden to anyone who thought of collecting them. A burden so great that the actual financing of the an-nual catalog has become almost impossible.

Years ago we advised and recom-mended the elimination of every variety except the normal overprint with the idea of reducing the number of collectible varieties to the smallest possible number.

We believe the time will come when more and more collectors of stamps will collect what is printed on the face of the stamp and pay little or no attention to watermarks, paper variet-ties, perforations and the like.

ties, perforations and the like.

There is already a large cult of such collectors. The publication of a catalog in America, catering to this type of collecting would be the biggest incentive to stamp collecting that has yet been found.

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It is a matter of fact that a large percentage of all recognized stamp collectors are not vitally interested in minor varieties. A catalog that would simplify stamp collecting, thus eliminating manipulation of varieties for higher profit would be a blessing. Incidentally, this man Rabb has is-

sued a new circular, copies of which have been sent us in which he makes the statement that Linn's Weekly has publicly advocated the practice of re-

perforating.

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Our attention has been called to this circular by several "reputable" stamp dealers, each of which state that they do not take our statement in that manner. It is clearly evident therefore that Rabb has misstated the facts, has deliberately lied in an attempt to injure us and has thus shown of what stuff he is made.

We are of the opinion that Rabb and one of his associates were the gang that did the "hi-jacking" along the line of stamp collectors on Michialong gan Avenue at the A. P. S. Convention in 1933. Those who were there clearly remember how a couple of "hawkers" peddled the Chicago Imperfs. at outrageous prices, up and Info down the streets when real stamp collectors could not get into the hotel

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WE BET MR. FARLEY'S NOSE itched when he read the announce ment in the Canadian Postal Bulletin of February 16th. It is printed elsewhere in this issue.

AS A SUGGESTION TO CANADA, which country has been rather liberal with commemoratives recently, why not a stamp to commemorate the birth of the famous Dionne quintuplets. It turned out to be the biggest advertisement Canada ever

AMES WALDO FAWCETT, STAMP Editor of the Washington Star, spoke at the Victory Dinner of the Westchester Chapter No. 85, American Philatelic Society, White Plains, N. Y., on February 15, and said some trite things about the Farley Stamp Issues. The real story is beginning to unfold. JAMES WALDO FAWCETT, STAMP

Buro Prints

mation regarding new issues and notes of interest on Buro Prints only, should be sent direct to the Editor of this column.

T. F. MORGAN, COLUMBUS, OHIO 1420 Meadow Road

Recent Issues

Atlanta, Ga. No. 87 17c ord. (John B. Slack)

We have a new contributor to our new issue record for this week and believe it should be an incentive for the rest of the Buro Collectors to send them in. Full credit will be given and it will help all of us. Thank you,

More and more the need for Buro or Precancel Magazines is shown. One cannot help but admire and boost the efforts of Clubs sponsoring bulletins of the order of "Golden Gate Precancel Society Bulletin", and "The Precancel Optimist" of the Chicago Precancel Club. Of course there are lots of others but the oustanding ones are mentioned above. They give real information, timely information and tend to keep their own members on their toes and full of interest. Of course the New York Precancel Club has the "Scorpion" which is a very interesting little paper but does not quite reach the heights of the two mentioned. Get busy, you know you have a fine Club, why not make it better and show the rest of the folks how good you are.

Have noted with interest the Bureau Coil pair listings in the Precancel Optimist by Adolf Gunesch. It seems to have created a lot of interest and has brought out some of the real "sleepers" along this line. It It real "sleepers" along this line. It also cause quite a surprise to lots of us as this type of collection was thought confined to a very few. It would surprise "non-believers" to see how large this list has become.

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UNITED STATES—Other columns of this paper will carry the data on the horde, if such they might be termed, of the "Farley" imperforates, soon to be issued and we shall not note same here until they have been duly listed by Scott's. We have tried, in the most part, to refrain from expressing our personal view on issues chronicled by us, as we fully realize that this column's duty is to report just the facts and not comment. However we cannot restrain from expressing our personal view on issues chronicled by us, as we fully realize that this column's duty is to report just the facts and not comment. However we cannot restrain from expressing our regret at an action which tends to exploit so fine a hobby and the blow suffered by the pocket-books of all collectors is not to be taken lightly. The list just announced, will mean an outlay of more than \$5.00 for each collector to secure a block of four and a single of each stamp and we understand that this list does not YET COMPRISE the entire number of stamps given out by Farley. Would it not been far better for the standard catalogs to have banded together and announced that they would refuse to recognize any freak or misprinting of any stamp issued since Farley has been in office? Also has the old axiom of "two wrongs never make one right", been reversed? It is too much to hope for that the collectors would boycott these issues, by refusing to buy same, for aren't we all a gullible lot?

ALBANIA—The overprint on the set chronicled by us Feb. 9th., celebrates the event of the return of Ahmed Zogu, the present King Zog., in 1924 from Jugoslavia, whence he had fled when the Government, formed by Fan Noli, took control of the country. Ahmed Zogu returned to Albania on December 24th, 1924, and has since been, as President and King, the head of the State. Only 15,000 complete sets have received this overprint.

(Whitfield, King & Co.)

ANGOLA—The Provisionals noted Feb. 2nd., e all surcharged on Scott's type A14. (Gibbons' Monthly Supplement)

AUSTRALIA—Gibbons' latest supplement lists the 3p. blue, Centenary of Victoria, perf. 11½, to go with the two covered by our notes of Jan. 5th.

From the same source we learn of the two Postage Due stamps noted below. Perf. 11; Wmkd. small crown & C. of A. multiple:

D4-1/2p. carmine & yellow-green D4-1s. carmine & yellow-green

BAHRAIN—We are informed that the current Indian 1 and 4 annas stamps, inscribed 'Postage', instead of 'Postage and Revenue', have been overprinted "BAHRAIN". The 1 anna stamps are, however obtainable at the moment only in booklets.

(Whitfield, King & Co.)

BELGIUM—Another value portraying the new King, in the same design as that chroni-cled Jan. 26th:

70c. olive black

Also two new postage due stamps:

D4— 35c. green D4—1.40fr. gray

(R. Roberts)

BRAZIL—Commemorative of the visit of President Terra of Uruguay to Brazil. All transverse, excepting the 700r, which is up-right. Wmkd. Scott's type No. 222:

tablet. In Die I, the pointed end of the top curve of the figure "3" is exactly opposite the horizontal line above "Cents", whereas on Die II the same point is distinctly above the line. (Gibbons' Stamp Monthly)

COLUMBIAN REPUBLIC-Gibbons supplement pictures the stamp chronicled by us on Feb. 2nd. and it shows the coffee pickers

CZECHOSLOVAKIA—The two stamps chronicled by us Jan 26th., in addition to being issued in the regular size post office sheets, were also issued in special souvenir sheets of 15 stamps each, on thick carton paper, perf. 13½, ungummed and with the words and music of the National Anthem printed above and below the stamps. 15 13½. usic

(Gibbons' Stamp Monthly)

IRISH FREE STATE—The 2s6p. chocolate, of the re-engraved design of Great Britain (noted under this country in our issue of Feb. 2nd.) has been overprinted same as Scott's No. 77.

(Gibbons' Monthly Supplement)

TALIAN COLONIES—Whitfield, King & Co., in their latest bulletin announce that a new Italian Minister to the Colonies will be appointed shortly and that he is a person who WILL NOT give permission to issue so many sets of commemorative stamps for the Colonies as has been the case in the past year or so. Let's hope so, or at least that the total cost of each set so issued, will be far less than they have been. We have never been able to understand why any commemorative issue should mean the issuing of exceeding high values. no matter what country issues same.

LATVIA—The set chronicled Feb. 2nd. commemorates the 15th Anniversary of Independence. The 3s., 20s. & 40s are perf. 10 and the other values perf. 11, according to Gibbons' latest supplement, which also illustrates the four designs used on these stamps. The 3s. & 40s., being of one design; the 5s. & 10s., being of another design; and the 20s. and 35s. being of two different designs each.

LITHUANIA—Of the three stamps chronicled last week, the 5c is Scott's type A47, listed in their October Supplement of the Monthly Journal, while the other two values are noted as a new "reaper" desicn. Lithographed, wmkd. Scott's type No. 198.

(Gibbons' Monthly Supplement)

MANCHUKUO-The "current issue" design referred to in our notes of Jan. 12th., is Scott's type A1.

(Gibbons' Monthly Supplement)

NEW GUINEA—The stamps heralded in our notes of Dec. 8, 1934, have now appeared. Scott's type A2 (without the dates), overprinted as No. 101.

2½p. green 3½p. carmine

Also same two values above, but over-printed as Scott's No. 214.

(Gibbons' Monthly Supplement)

PERU—The first value of the Lima Centenary series, announced in our notes of Feb. 2nd., has been shown to us. Large upright rectangular for m at, unwmkd., perf. 13½. "Correo del Peru" in panel across the top. Numeral tablets on each side at the bottom, between which in four lines is the wording on the 3c. Scott's type A69. The difference is easiest told by looking at the right-hand value

RUSSIA—The latest set, announced in the news note on page No. 312, of the Feb. 16th issue of Linn's, has appeared. Printed in Photogravure, large type, perf. 14; wmkd. Scott's type No. 170; transverse or upright format, as noted below; the 50k. measures 53 x 32 mm. and the other values 30 x 43mm.;

1k. vermillion (transverse)

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3k. carmine (transverse)
5k. green (upright)
10k. sepia (upright)
15k. black (upright)
20k. claret (upright)
30k. gray-green (upright)
40k. violet (upright)
50k. deep blue (transverse)

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SALVADOR-The three air mail stamps heralded in our notes of Feb. 16th., are of the same design as the set of postage stamps noted in our column Jan. 5th., with the addition of the words "Servicio Aereo" just below the name scroll at the top.

(Gibbons' Monthly Supplement)

SOUTHERN RHODESIA—A value issued at the close of 1934, has just been received. Perf.

A2-8p. violet & green (Gibbons' Monthly Supplement)

SUDAN—We are official informed that the $4\frac{1}{2}$ piastres Air Mail stamps have been withdrawn from circulation.

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News contributions or inquiries should be addressed to MARSHALL R. HALL 1767 Bedford Road, Columbus, Ohio

Monaghan Shakedown

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The shakedown cruise of the USS Monaghan will start shortly. It will be from Boston to San Diego, around Cape Horn, on the trail of the old clipper ships. The mail clerk will endeavor to get a couple of cancels from South American warships, and there will be a special cachet used when the ship goes round the Horn. Several cachets will form the series for this long cruise. It will require 30 covers for complete coverage. I am sponsoring these cachets and this is planned to be the most complete shakedown set issued to date. Send shakedown set issued to date. Send your covers to reach me not later than the middle of March, and include forwarding postage. These will be assorted into proper bundles for the different cachets and cancels and placed in Mr. Ranney's hands in ample time to give you complete coverage.

St. Patrick's Day

Rush covers to W. G. Schlechter, 533 Hamilton Ave., Allentown, Pa., for printed St. Patrick's cachet to be mailed from the USS McCormick, Covers arriving too late will be held for a later event. Mr. Schlechter had a hard time printing his Washington's birthday covers because of the odd assortment of fillers, so he requests unsealed, unstuffed covers. Include forwarding postage.

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And Yet Another

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Answering "Wings."

The other air craft carrier you ask about will be called the Yorktown. As for the Narcotine-Nicotine-Gelatine-Hooeytine covers, that's a field developed in another publication and I had nothing to do with it. But thanks for your thoughtfulness.

Macon Souvenir.

From J. V. Terrio, navy mail clerk on the USS Richmond, I have a tiny bit of the illfated Macon, cancelled with the ship's cancel and attested as to its authenticity. Thanks, Terry, and I'm glad to publicly acknowledge the fine compliment from you. Terry's Macon crash covers are beauties and if you missed them, write him for details, care post master, San Francisco, California.

Vining's New Catalogue

J. Edward Vining, St. Louis repre-sentative for LINPRINT and Linn's Weekly Stamp News has issued a new catalogue and price list of Stamps, covers, albums and Philatelic Accessories.

Mr. Vining remarked in a letter to LINPRINT that the list carried so much of our material that it looked almost like a LINPRINT list.

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The new imperforate sheets of U.S. soon to be issued have created some headscratching here among the deal-The New York Sun figures \$190.30 for a complete sheet of every item. Whew! Page Mr. Rockefeller.

News-Week of Feb, 16th has a pic-ture covering the entire front cover of Postmaster-General Farley handing out from a postoffice wicket a sheet of stamps to a young lady purchaser, and on page 9 goes into detail about the sheet fiasco.

Another suggestion. Wall paper is now the fashion and when papering your room have your paperhanger paste sheets of 200 of the new used imperforate Mother's Day stamps on the walls. They are ready for this as there is no gum on the back. Just a little paste slapped on will do the trick by the paperhanger. Leave these sheets on the wall for years. The pat-tern is good and when the stamps become scarce, take them off carefully and there you are. cake and have it. You can eat your

The Rialto Stamp Company of 109 West 42nd St. was robbed on Febru-ary 14th. A stock book was taken containing Great Britain, Philippine Islands, Porto Rico, German Colonies, a collection of mint blox and coils in pairs U. S. from 1920 to date. A Lissiuk U. S. album with used singles from 1847 to date. An airmail collection. U. S. used blox up to Scott No. 400. A superb center line block of No. 573 U.S. mint.

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Last week when I mentioned about the 15c So. Manchester Conn. that had the So. missing, little did I think that the stamp was a true variety and sup-posed to be that way. A. F. Gamber informs me that So. Manchester was incorporated with Manchester taking the name of the latter and as Manchester had no electro plate, some genius thought of an idea of removing the So. from the So. Manchester plate and so boys and girls that is the tale of missing So. Gamber showed me a 10c and with the 15c of Mr. Shaymans we have a start on another interesting line of precancels. It is possible that this fixed over plate will be used only till another can be prepared so it will behoove collectors to obtain what they can of these while they can. Let's hear about other varieties of this one.

More Dr. Phillips Fla.

A nice letter at hand from W. S. Branch of Orlando Fla., explaining more about the illustrious Phillips family and showing me a clipping that bears a drawing of the large packing house of the Phillips concern. Tying up with the above I have a card from Allen B. Foote of East Lansing, Mich. telling me that he has a strip of three 1c Parks from Dr. Phillips Fla. Another new item.

From The Mail

The Missouri MULE this time has three pages and bore a 4c Park from Rushville, Mo. reading across in U-121. Mount Vernon O. a prolific user of precancelled dues a short time back has discontinued the practice. So has Columbus, O. Noted a 3c due though from Columbus double printed in U-12 type, this must have been among

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With the Papers

The PRECANCEL YANKEE came in the other day bearing a 1c Park precancel from Templeton Mass. in The Yankee sure gets the The HORNET, the Indiana U-121. gossip. collectors means of expression came in this morning bearing a pair of 1c ord. Lebanon Ind. in U-120. It is rumored that Lawrence Bros. are backing a new weekly precancel sheet. It is supposed to make its appearance late this month.

New Syracuse Electro

I don't remember if I mentioned this type before or not. Any way Syracuse, N. Y. has a new electro plate similar to type 5 listed as type 8 in the new catalog. Only one item is checked but here are a few others. 4c Taft, 5c and 20c ord. comp. and 3c due comp. The chief difference between the two types lies in the difference of the lines, in type 8 they are lines and are continuous but in type 5 altho the lines are but little thicker they begin and end on each stamp making the socalled bars. The letters in type 8 are a little thinner but otherwise the types are very similar. Look yours over close. The item listed in the new catalog is a 10c ord. comp. perf.

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